BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE

PETITIONER

V.

SKYLER WILLIAMS

RESPONDENT

CONSENT ORDER

The Commissioner of Insurance for the State of Mississippi (hereinafter "Commissioner"), pursuant to the authority granted to him, hereby enters into this Consent Order with the Respondent, Skyler Williams, regarding the above-captioned matter taken against Respondent by the Mississippi Department of Insurance (hereinafter "Department"). The parties agree to the following agreed terms.

FINDINGS OF FACT

AFTER CONSIDERING all of the evidence presented, the parties agree to the following Findings of Fact:

- 1. On May 18, 2022 Respondent submitted a written application for a Class D system salesperson license under the Mississippi Electronic Protection Act.
- On July 27, 2022 Respondent came to the State Fire Marshal's Office to be fingerprinted and to undergo a background check, both of which are statutorily required prior to licensure.
- 3. On or about July 15, 2022, the Respondent, approached a home at 209 Westview Circle, McComb, MS and attempted to sell an electronic protective system to Mr. Charles Stringer, the son of the homeowner.
- 4. Charles Stringer is a licensed Class B System Technician and is the owner of Stringer Security, a Class A Contracting Company.

- 5. The Department sent a Notice of Denial ("Notice") to Respondent, on August 4, 2022, advising the Respondent of the Department's decision to deny his license application.
- 6. The Notice referenced the following violations against Respondent:
 - a. <u>Miss. Code Ann.</u> §73-69-23(3)(b) engaging in alarm contracting without a license as prohibited;
- 7. Respondent was served with the Notice of Denial via certified mail.

CONSENT AND AGREEMENT

IN LIGHT OF THE AFOREMENTIONED Findings of Fact, the Respondent, Skyler Williams, agrees to the following:

- 1. That Skyler Williams, has been fully advised of charges of alleged violations of Miss. Code Ann. §73-69-23, and the proposed action filed against him.
- 2. Respondent understands that he may request a hearing before the Commissioner of Insurance of the State of Mississippi to determine the reasonableness of the Commissioner's action.
- 3. Respondent agrees to withdraw his request for a hearing.
- 4. The Parties agree to the denial of Respondent's license application, effective as of the date of this Order and lasting through April 30, 2023;
- 5. The Parties agree that Respondent will be eligible to re-apply for licensure on or after May 1, 2023.
- 6. The Parties agree that Respondent's Consent and Agreement resolves all matters pending at this time before the Mississippi Department of Insurance.

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, upon agreement of the Parties and approval by the Commissioner, the following:

1. The Respondent's license application is denied, effective as of the date of this Order and lasting through April 30, 2023.

SO AGREED AND ORDERED this the 28 day of October, 2022.

MIKE CHANEY COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

AGREED:

Phillips Strickland

Attorney II

Mississippi Insurance Department

AGREED:

Respondent